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C O N F I D E N T I A L BUJUMBURA 0698

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: UNHRC, AO, BY, PINR

SUBJECT: UNHCR APPOINTS REPRESENTATIVE TO ANGOLA

1. NICOLAS BWAKIRA IS THE YOUNGER BROTHER OF THE PRESENT BURUNDI FOREIGN MINISTER, MELCHIOR BWAKIRA. FONMIN BWAKIRA REPORTEDLY TRIED RECENTLY TO PERSUADE PRESIDENT MICOMBERO TO APPOINT HIS BROTHER TO FILL THE THEN VACANT BURUNDI AMBASSADOR POSITION IN WASHINGTON BUT HE DID NOT SUCCEED.

2. ASSANE SAMB, THE UNHCR REP IN BURUNDI, KNOWS NICOLAS FAIRLY WELL. HE TOO DESCRIBES HIM AS ABOUT 35-36 YEARS OLD, BRIGHT, AND DOING WELL IN THE UNHCR. SAMB BELIEVES THAT NICOLAS RECEIVED HIS UNIVERSITY EDUCATION IN PARIS AT A LEVEL BELOW A "LICENCE" AND THAT HE BEGAN WORK FOR THE UNHCR RIGHT AFTER HIS STUDIES. ISOM

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